

**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

Hiroyuki YAMAMOTO

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Examiner: J. Pokrzywa

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**  
**AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination based on the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period for response having expired on November 26, 2004, an extension of time for a period of three months is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 164056 in the amount of \$1,020.00 pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17.

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